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New Traffic Laws Impact Driving

Americans living in Germany should know about two important traffic ordinances that changed Feb. 1. First, cities and counties will have the option of decreasing the speed limit in many residential areas from 50 to 30 kilometers per hour. Second, the right of way will belong to drivers within many traffic circles or roundabouts.

The speed limit in residential areas that are now 50 kilometers per hour could in a few days be reduced to 30 kilometers per hour, according to the German Ministry of Traffic, Construction and Housing. Local authorities have more flexibility to make these changes on side streets with very little advance warning.

The second ordinance change gives the right of way to vehicles already within a traffic circle if there are two signs present, a blue circle with white arrows indicating the circular flow of traffic and a yield sign directly above it. When entering such circles it is now illegal to signal, drivers must signal only when exiting the circles. Traffic circles without signs indicating right of way are subject to the right before left rule.

In addition to these two rules, the mobile phone use prohibition also goes into effect Feb. 1. For info call the 6th Area Support Group Safety Office, 421-2752/civ. 0711-729-2752 or check out The Citizen's Dec. 19 article on mobile phone use in cars on the 6th ASG Web site, (www.stuttgart.army.mil/citizen).

SECTION I OFFICIAL INFO

Numbers To Know...

For emergencies call:

Fire	0711-680-117
Medical	0711-680-116
Military Police	0711-680-114

For non-emergencies call:

American Red Cross	07031-15-818
Chaplain	0711-680-5000
Education Hotline	0711-680-6121
Emergency Action Center	0711-729-2601
Family Assistance Center	07031-15-524
Military Police	0711-680-5262
Personal Health Advisor	0800-825-1600
Road/Weather Conditions	0711-729-2474
Sexual Harassment Hotline	0711-729-2708

Note Possible Holiday Closures

Feb. 16 is a U.S. Army Europe training holiday, supporting President's Day Feb. 19 and providing a four-day weekend opportunity. Expect office closures and call ahead for operating hours.

Report Suspected Espionage Incidents

Community members who encounter a suspicious incident are reminded to not commit themselves to do anything and ask for time to think over any offers. Remember all descriptions and details about locations, people, conversations, vehicles and license plates. Report the incident immediately by calling the Stuttgart Military Intelligence Office, 421-2206/civ. 0711-729-2206.

Black History Celebrated in February

Black History Month is observed every year during the month of February. This year the 6th Area Support Group and the Stuttgart Community Black History Committee are sponsoring several special events to honor and celebrate Black History.

An African American Prayer Breakfast is scheduled Feb. 8, 6:30 to 8 a.m. in Patch Community Club with a cost of \$5. The guest speaker is Rev. Dr. Reginald Kennedy, pastor, Gospel Tabernacle Baptist Church, Baltimore, MD.

A basketball tournament takes place Feb. 9 at 6 p.m. and also Feb. 10 at noon.

The Annual Black History Luncheon will be held Feb. 20, 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Patch Community Club with a cost of \$7. The guest speaker is retired

Army Lt. Gen. Andrew Chambers and the event will include an art display and local vocal talent.

A free Gospel Jubilee and Ethnic Dinner are planned Feb. 24, 5 p.m. in Patch Community Club.

Robinson Barracks Youth Service, located in building 151, hosts a Department of Defense dance troupe performing a free show Feb. 25, 2 p.m. For info call the Equal Opportunity Office, 421-2892/civ. 0711-729-2892.

Joint Service Enlisted Dining-In Held

The second annual Black Stallion Joint Services Enlisted Dining-In for the Stuttgart community will be held March 9, 6 p.m. in the Hong Kong Restaurant on Patch Barracks.

The guest speaker for this formal event will be Command Sgt. Maj. Wilbur Adams, U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command. Seating is limited and tickets are available.

For info call Staff Sgt. Lawson, 6th ASG, 421-2741; 1st Sgt. McKellar, EUCOM, 430-5179; or Master Sgt. Oleksiak, DISA, 434-5896.

Departure Preparation Briefing Held

The Community Central Processing Facility will hold a Permanent Change of Station and Pre-separation Briefing Feb. 21, 1 to 2:30 p.m., building 2318, room 4, Patch Barracks. Service members from all military branches and civilians who are departing within the next four to six months should attend.

Briefings will include information on clearance from various agencies including transportation, medical and dental clinics, vehicle registration, housing office and Army Community Service. Army personnel receive briefings on personnel and finance issues. Reservations are required and can be made by calling 430-4064/civ. 0711-680-4064.

Harassment Prevention Training Given

The U.S. Army has a zero-tolerance policy regarding sexual harassment. All appropriated and non-appropriated fund civilian employees who work for the Department of Defense are required to attend Training in the Prevention of Sexual Harassment annually.

TIPOSH training will be held Feb. 22, 10 to 11:30 a.m. in Kelley Theater. For info call 421-2649/civ. 0711-729-2649.

Call for Weather, Road Conditions

When severe weather conditions happen in the 6th Area Support Group, call 421-2474/civ. 0711-729-2474 anytime to obtain status on road conditions and other weather-related information.

For info visit the Web site at (www.stuttgart.army.mil/weather).

Additionally, a new U.S. Army Europe Web site provides links to up-to-date information on weather, road conditions and force protection measures. Check it out at (www.hqusaer.army.mil) and click on Force Protection and Weather Conditions.

Save Your Eyes, Wear Safety Glasses

If you are provided safety glasses or goggles to perform your job, wear them. Protect your eyes and save your vision by wearing personal protective equipment. Is losing your eyesight worth not wearing them? For info call the health promotion coordinator, 430-4073/civ. 0711-680-4073.

Consumer Protection Week Happens

High cost loans are danger zones! This year National Consumer Protection Week happens Feb. 5 to 10. Information is everyone's best defense. For important info on financial readiness call Army Community Services, 430-7117/civ. 0711-680-7117.

SERVICES

Check Out Phone Book on Web

To find phone numbers for local agencies and organizations, go to the 6th ASG Web page (www.stuttgart.army.mil) and click on Phonebook. Once there you'll find the 6th ASG Phone Book as a single printable document in a MS Word 97 format.

Dining Facility Offers Southern Meal

In honor of Black History Month the Black Stallion Inn on Patch Barracks will have a southern-style meal Feb. 21 from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. at a cost of \$3.20. The event is open to all active-duty military and Department of Army civilians and their family members with valid identification cards. For info call 430-7104/civ. 0711-680-7104.

Understanding the Surcharge

Ever wondered about the five percent surcharge added to purchases at the commissary checkout counter? In 1974 Congress established the surcharge and directed the proceeds to fund store maintenance, renovation and new construction. It also helps to pay for bags, meat wrapping, register tape and store equipment.

In Europe the surcharge has funded the construction of six new stores since 1997 and the

installation of modern checkout systems in all 62 commissaries. For info call 489-7304/civ. 0631-352-3105, or e-mail (youngg@eu.deca.mil).

Order Valentine's Day Roses Now

Order your Valentine's Day roses from the Gussy Goose Craft Store, located in building 2337, Patch Barracks. Freshly-cut red roses with ribbon and greenery are available by the dozen, half dozen, threes and single stem. For info call 430-5270/civ. 0711-680-5270.

Report Street Lighting Problems

See a street light problem on post? Let the right people know so prompt action can be taken to fix it. Report it by sending an e-mail to (street.lighting@6asg.army.mil).

Send Valentine's Day Candy Gram

Patch Barracks Youth Services, located in building 2337, will deliver Candy Gram Mugs on Valentine's Day (Feb. 14) to your sweetheart, friend, parent, teacher or secret pal. Your Candy Gram includes a creative valentine mug, sweet treats and personal message. Orders must be placed by Feb. 11. For info call 430-7204/civ. 0711-680-7204.

Claim Those BBQ Propane Tanks

Propane tanks turned in at the old Shoppette, located in building 2329, Patch Barracks, to be refilled need to be claimed by Feb. 28. The existing storage location will be torn down to make additional parking spaces. Tanks not claimed by the deadline will be disposed of without the possibility of refunds or adjustments. For info call Patch PX, 430-5601 or civ. 0711-687-0100.

RB Thrift Shop Offers Great Treasures

The Robinson Barracks Thrift Shop, located in building 196, is a consignment shop and sponsored by the 6th ASG Scholarship Council. Everyone is invited to stop by and check out the great selection of treasures and must-have items.

Now is an ideal time to consign unneeded transformers, small 220-volt televisions and other 220-volt household items. Donations, including German and American magazines, are always needed and greatly appreciated.

Shop operating hours are Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Consignments are accepted until 12:30 p.m. For info call 0711-854-242.

Remember ICE When Visiting Agencies

Did you know when you submit a comment card through the Interactive Customer Evaluation system you receive immediate feedback about how other customers have rated the service?

To access the ICE system and voice any comments and concerns about community facilities and services, go to the 6th Area Support Group web sit at (www.stuttgart.army.mil) and click on the ICE logo.

Check Out Hong Kong Restaurant

Are you craving a little taste of the Orient? Then Hong Kong Chinese Restaurant, located in building 2345 on Patch Barracks, is the place for you Mondays to Fridays 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Grab a hearty meal at the all-you-can-eat buffet or place a phone order and get it to go. If the late hours better suit your taste buds, check out the dinner buffet Mondays to Saturdays 5 to 10 p.m. Children's specials are offered Saturdays and those 12 and under eat for half price. For info call 430-6727/civ. 0711-680-6727.

Visit Patch Thrift Shop With Friends

The Patch Thrift Shop, located in the lower level of building 2307, invites everyone to bring a friend and stop by for a good look around. The selection of books, clothing, housewares and electronics will be well worth it. Got a few extra minutes on your lunch break? Stop in and see what the shop has to offer this week. Operating hours are Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For info call 430-5510/civ. 0711-680-5510.

Upcoming Closings, Changes

A water outage is scheduled Feb. 10, 7 a.m. to noon on **Kelley Barracks**. Affected buildings are 3300, 3304, 3305, 3306, 3307, 3308, 3309 and 3310. For info call 421-2322/civ. 0711-729-2322.

Panzer Kaserne Thrift Shop, located in building 2953, is now open Mondays and Wednesdays to Fridays 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. For info call 431-2878/civ. 07031-15-878.

AAFES Beauty Shop, located in building 2953, **Panzer Kaserne**, will change operating hours beginning Feb. 28. New hours will be Wednesdays to Fridays, 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m.

The 6th ASG **Value Added Tax Office**, located in building 2325, Patch Barracks, has temporarily relocated to the Patch Fitness Center, located in building 2337. For info call 430-4061/civ. 0711-680-4061.

AAFES Beauty Shop, located in building 3312, **Kelley Barracks**, will be closed Fridays beginning March 2. For info call 0711-722-7551.

SECTION II ANNOUNCEMENTS

Renew Wedding Vows in Patch Chapel

The Catholic Women of the Chapel are sponsoring a Valentine's Day Dinner and Wedding Vow Renewal Feb. 14, 6 p.m. in Patch Chapel. Following the ceremony the couples meet in the Swabian Special Events Center for a special dinner. A donation of \$20 per couple is requested to help defray costs. Advance registration is required. Child Watch Care will be provided in building 2307, second floor. For info call Dolores Newsom, 0711-726-0333 or 430-5000/civ. 0711-680-5000.

Townhall Meeting Reminder

The next Stuttgart Military Community townhall meeting is scheduled Feb. 21, 7 p.m. in Patch Barracks Theater. For info call 421-2522/civ. 0711-729-2522.

Planning for 24-Hour Marathon Begins

The 24-Hour Marathon is an annual community fundraiser for youth activities in the Stuttgart military community. Planning for this year's event will begin with an organizational meeting Feb. 13, 5:30 p.m. in the EUCOM Commandant's Conference Room, building 2316, Patch Barracks. (Next to the Patch Installation Coordinator's Office).

Volunteers are needed to fill committee positions including president/race director and treasurer. New members are needed to make this year's event as successful as last year. Refreshments will be provided. For info call James Barrineau, 430-8838/civ. 0711-680-8838.

Marriage Enrichment Retreat Offered

The Chaplain's Office is sponsoring a Marriage Enrichment Retreat Feb. 9 to 11 for 10 couples at the Fora Hotel in Stuttgart. Lodging and meals are provided and advanced reservations are required. For info call Catherine Jensen, 430-5000/civ. 0711-680-5000.

CHILDREN & TEENS

Jump Rope for Your Heart

Robinson Barracks Elementary School hosts Jump Rope for Heart, sponsored by the American

Heart Association, Feb. 14, 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 2:30 p.m. The event will be held in the school gym. For info call Heidi Washington, 420-7112/civ. 0711-819-7112.

Poster Contest Honors Black History

A poster contest to honor Black History Month is underway in area schools for children in grades Kindergarten to 6th. The theme is Creating and Defining the African American Community: Family, Church, Politics and Culture. Prizes include \$50 book scholarships, AAFES coupons and movie passes.

Check with school offices for details. Deadline is Feb. 13. Winning posters will be displayed at the Black History Month Luncheon Feb. 20 in the Swabian Special Events Center.

This event is sponsored by the 6th ASG, Officers and Civilians Spouses Club, Stars of Eternal Light Chapter 42, Order of the Eastern Stars, and AAFES. For info call Sandra Charles, 430-5336/civ. 0711-680-5336.

Modeling Classes Improve Self Image

Modeling classes are now offered for everyone age 8 and up who want to improve their look or develop poise and self-confidence. No one is too young or too old to start a career in the entertainment field.

Learn the newest trends and styles on the market including information on professional models, agency representatives, photographers, stylists hair-care specialists, stylists and make-up artists.

Space is limited so enroll early for the six-week course that meets Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 to 7p.m. Cost is \$45 per person per class or two family members for \$75. For info call Patch School Age Services, 430-6942/civ. 0711-680-6942.

Patch Elementary Has Family Sock Hop

Patch Elementary School is holding a Family Sock Hop Feb. 15, 5:30 to 8 p.m. in the multi-purpose room. The event includes food, dancing and a costume contest. Advance tickets will be sold after school Feb. 13 and 14. For info call Angela Kennedy, 0711-687-4062.

Author Visits Local Schools

In celebration of Black History Month, Theresa Allen, author of books that bring hope, love and encouragement through her writing will visit local schools. Ms. Allen visits Patch Elementary Feb. 8, 8:30 a.m.; High School Feb. 8, 2 p.m.; Robinson Barracks Elementary Feb. 9, 9 a.m.; and

Böblingen Elementary Feb. 9, 1 p.m. For info call Sandra Charles, 430-5336/civ. 0711-680-5336.

YS Conducts Baseball, Softball Clinic

6th ASG Youth Services will conduct a baseball and softball clinic March 10 and 11, 9 a.m. to noon on Patch Barracks. Ages 9 to 15 meet on Husky Field and ages 5 to 8 meet on the field adjacent to Patch Fitness Center. For info or to enroll contact local Youth Services.

Outstanding Youth of Year Recognized

The USAREUR Outstanding Youth of the Year Program is designed to recognize young leaders age 13 to 19 at each installation for their outstanding accomplishments and demonstrated service to community. Nominees do not have to be registered in Youth Services, but must be eligible users. Nominees may be active in the local YS, scouting programs, JROTC program, chapel youth programs, DODDS or other locally-sanctioned youth organizations.

Nomination packets are available at local Youth Services, DODDS high school counselors, JROTC instructor Mr. Goldman, Girl Scout leader Debbie Hovatter and Boy Scout leader Walter Ruiz. Completed nomination packets must be provided to Youth Services by Feb. 22. For info call Jemmie Collins, 430-7204/civ. 0711-680-7204.

Black History Month Essay Contest

In celebration of Black History Month an essay contest is being held from Jan. 20 to Feb. 13 for youth in grades seven to 12 with the winner receiving a \$300 scholarship award. The theme is What 20th century African American has had the most influence on your life? Entrants are to express their opinion regarding knowledge of the legacies of African American leaders and provide thoughts on how they have made an impact on the writer as an individual and on society as a whole.

Essays must be between 250 and 300 words, be double spaced, be in completed form and postmarked by Feb. 13. The winning essay will be based on content, format and neatness. A selected panel will individually score essays. Submit to Stars of Eternal Light Chapter No. 42, Order of the Eastern Stars, CMR 423 Box 119, APO AE 09107. For info call Deborah McKoy, 430-7229/civ. 0711-680-7229.

Special Needs Web Site Offers Help

The Special Needs Network Web site offers Department of Defense families with special medical or educational needs, access to information, resources and each other. It also

provides information to family service staff, care coordinators, service providers and to DoD civilian employees. Visit the site at (<http://mfrc.calib.com/snn>).

Youth Baseball, Softball Signups Begin

The 6th ASG Youth Services encourages all youth interested in baseball or softball to sign up now at their local YS. The cost is \$35 with a multiple child discount available and a Feb. 28 signup deadline. Each participant must also be centrally registered. For info call 431-2616/civ. 07031-15-616 or visit the Web site (<http://stuttgartlittleleag.tripod.com>).

EDUCATION & TRAINING

Check Out Computer Training Classes

The Stuttgart Information Training Center, located in room 117, building 3307E, Kelley Barracks, provides hands-on computer training courses involving state-of-the-art instruction provided by certified training professionals. These classes are an excellent opportunity to learn new skills, improve existing capabilities and enhance personal and professional development.

Personnel are encouraged to enroll in the following classes: **Advanced Word 97** Feb. 21; **Intro to Power Point 97** Feb. 22; **Computer Basic Skills** Feb. 28; **Advanced Outlook 98** March 6; **Intermediate Excel 2000** March 7; **Adv. Excel 2000**, March 26; **Intro. to Outlook 2000**, March 27; **Intro. to Power Point 2000** March 28; and **Computer Basic Skills** March 29.

The courses are fully-funded for all USAREUR soldiers and civilian employees. Non-USAREUR soldiers and civilian employees must provide DD Form 448 (Military Interdepartmental Purchase Request) for payment. For info contact Hugh McBride, 421-2475/civ. 0711-729-2475, e-mail (hugh.mcbride@cmtymail.6asg.army.mil) or visit the Web site (www.stuttgart.army.mil/doim).

Red Cross Offers Training Classes

The Stuttgart-Area American Red Cross, located in building 2949, Panzer Kaserne, offers the following courses: **Healthy Pregnancy and Healthy Baby Instructor** Feb. 22 and 23, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Instructor Candidate Training is a prerequisite for the instructor class); **Healthy Pregnancy/Healthy Baby Class** March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5 and 12, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.; **Community First Aid and Safety** March 13 and 15, 5:30 to 10 p.m.; and **Super Babysitter Training** March 19, 21, 24, 26 and 28, 4 to 6 p.m. (March 24,

9 a.m. to 4 p.m.) For info or to register call 431-2818/civ. 07031-15-818.

HOBBIES & CRAFTS

Patch Arts & Crafts Offers Classes

Patch Arts and Crafts offers several upcoming classes including **Beginning Sewing**, learn how to do a zipper, buttonholes, facing, hems, etc. meets Feb. 13, 15, 20, 22, 27 and March 1, 3 to 5 p.m.; **Intermediate Sewing**, make anything you want while an experienced seamstress supervises, meets same days as Beginning Class noon to 2 p.m.; **Potter's Wheel**, make beautiful pottery while learning how to use a potter's wheel, meets Feb. 13, 15, 20, and 22, 3 to 5 p.m.; **Basic Cake Decorating**, Learn the basic techniques you will use to decorate any kind of cake, meets Feb. 13, 7 to 10 p.m.; and **Scrap Booking**, Turn your photos and memorabilia into keepsake photo albums, bring six to eight photos, meets Feb. 20, 7 to 9 p.m. For info or to register call 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

Ceramic Technique Class Offered

Learn to paint lively ceramic animal or figurine sculptures in just one evening. Robinson Barracks Arts and Photo Center offers a Ceramic Technique Class Feb. 28, 6:30 p.m. Sign up in advance. For info call 420-6038/civ. 0711-819-6038, or e-mail (meissneru@6asg.army.mil).

Gussy Goose Offers Classes

Check out the Gussy Goose Craft Store this month for another great selection of great classes. **Moonglow Monthly**, a quilting adventure involving a block of the month program, meets Feb. 11 and 25, 1 to 5 p.m. for a cutting marathon. **Star Block of the Month** meets Feb. 13, 6 to 9 p.m. and works on the Ohio Star. **Sunset Stitching/Quilt Shop** meets Feb. 15, 6 to 8 p.m. and staff will be available to answer quilting or general sewing questions. **Quilt 'Til You Wilt** meets Feb. 16, 6 p.m. to 2 a.m. and is a great time to finish up projects and enjoy great food and chatter. **Shamrock Door Banner** meets Feb. 17, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and involves a paper-pieced shamrock door banner for St. Patrick's Day. For info or registration call 430-5270/civ. 0711-680-5270.

JOB CORNER

Arts & Crafts Teachers Sought

Interested in teaching an arts or crafts class? The Patch Arts and Crafts Center, located in

building 2337 needs you. Classes are offered in sewing, pottery, cake decorating and more. For info call Deanna Walls, 430-7109/civ. 0711-680-7109.

School Play Needs Help with Costumes

Volunteers are needed to help with costumes for the upcoming Patch High School production of *Once Upon a Mattress*. Performances are scheduled March 2, 3, 9 and 10 in the Forum. This musical comedy involves 31 performers and promises to provide lots of humor, dance and great songs. Volunteers are asked to send an e-mail to (andrea_rothney@eu.odedodea.edu).

USO Looking for Tour Manager

USO Stuttgart, located in building 2307, Patch Barracks, has an immediate opening for a full-time tour manager. The position requires an energetic, enthusiastic individual. Duties include planning and performing tours and maintaining the vehicle fleet. German language fluency is preferred. For info stop by the USO or call Mark Davis, 430-8811/civ. 0711-680-8811.

Volunteers Sought for Spring Bazaar

The annual Spring Bazaar is just around the corner and volunteers are being sought now to help at the March 23 to 25 event. Approximately 300 volunteers will be needed from March 20 to 26 to help with set up, administration, hospitality, sales, clean up, etc. Volunteers can shop the evening prior to the official opening and will be eligible for special raffle prizes. For info call Lisa Hudson, 0711-620-4568, or Julie Ryan, 0711-674-0740.

LEISURE TIME

Ski Club Celebrates Valentine's Day

Celebrate Valentine's Day and Fasching with the Patch Ski Club Feb. 14, 7 p.m. in Patch Community Club. The evening will feature Valentine's Day fun and a contest for the best Fasching mask. A ski trip including the big name top of the mountain concert in Ischgl, Austria, April 27 to 30 will be on sale for members.

Other trips on sale include Chamonix, France, March 8 to 11; Trois Vallées, France, March 10 to 17; Jungfrau, Switzerland, March 23 to 25; and St. Anton, Austria, March 30 to April 1. For info call Alicia, 430-8597/civ. 0711-680-8597, or visit the Web site (www.psc-ski.org).

Böblingen Club Salutes Valentine's Day

The Böblingen Community Activities Club salutes Valentine's Day with a special Sweetheart Bingo Feb. 10 in Panzer Community Club. Grand prize is a DVD player. The doors open at 6 p.m. and bingo starts at 7 p.m. The membership fee is \$10 and bingo packets cost \$2. For info call Irene Warren, 421-2712/civ. 0711-729-2712.

Community Club Has Comedy Show

They say laughter is the best medicine and Patch Community Club has just what the doctor ordered! Don't miss Out of Control Comedy Feb. 15, 8 to 10 p.m. Tickets cost \$10 in advance or \$12 at the door. This adult show is bound to leave you in stitches! For advance tickets e-mail (NuDiamond@aol.com) or for info call 430-8228/civ. 0711-680-8228.

Triumph of Love Tickets Available

The Stuttgart Entertainment Branch presents the European premiere of the Broadway musical comedy Triumph of Love. Performances are Feb. 9, 10, 11, 14, 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25 and March 2 and 3, 7:30 p.m. in the Stuttgart Theater Center, building 3320 on Kelley Barracks.

The Valentine's Day show will have special drawings and treats. All audience members will be entered in a grand drawing.

Tickets are \$12 or 30 marks for adults and \$10 or 25 marks for students. Reservations are recommended and can be made at the Stuttgart Entertainment Branch, building 3319 on Kelley Barracks, or by calling 421-2825/civ. 0711-729-2825 Tuesdays to Fridays 12:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Non-U.S. military ID card holders must call with passport numbers for admittance to Kelley Barracks. Remaining tickets will be sold at the door 45 minutes before show time. We regret children under 5 cannot be admitted to any performance.

USO Announces Upcoming Trips

The Stuttgart USO offers several upcoming trips in February including **Budapest, Vienna, Salzburg Overnight Trip** Feb. 15 to 19; **Freudenstadt Night Fasching Parade** Feb. 16; **German Cooking Class (Free)** Feb. 17; **Atlantis Waterpark** Feb. 17; **Kornwestheim Fasching** Feb. 18; **Metzingen Outlet Shopping** Feb. 21; **Triberg Fasching for Children** Feb. 22; **Children's Theater Fasching (free)** Feb. 23; **Carnival in Venice** Feb. 23 to 26; **Strasbourg, France**, Feb. 24; **Hello Stuttgart (free)** Feb. 24; **Weil der Stadt Fasching** Feb. 25; **Wiesbaden Fasching** Feb. 25; **Mercedes Factory** Feb. 26;

Schramberg Fasching Feb. 26; **Stuttgart Fasching** Feb. 27; **Rottweil Fasching** Feb. 27; and **Meet the Mayor (free)** Feb. 28. For info call 430-5559/civ. 0711-680-5559.

AAFES Movie Schedule

Movies and times are subject to change. For info call theaters or visit the AAFES Web site at (www.aafes.com/europe/eucom_consol/index.html).

<i>Patch</i>	<i>Theater</i>	<i>0711-680-5310</i>	
Feb 9	7 p.m.	Anti Trust	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Men of Honor	R
Feb 10	7 p.m.	Anti Trust	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Men of Honor	R
Feb 11	4 p.m.	Rugrats in Paris	G
	7 p.m.	Men of Honor	R
Feb 12	7 p.m.	Rugrats in Paris	G
Feb 13	7 p.m.	Rugrats in Paris	G
Feb 14	7 p.m.	Men of Honor	R
Feb 15	7 p.m.	Men of Honor	R

<i>RB</i>	<i>Theater</i>	<i>0711-819-6137</i>	
Feb 9	7 p.m.	Little Nicky	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Charlie's Angels	PG-13
Feb 10	7 p.m.	Little Nicky	PG-13
	9:30 p.m.	Charlie's Angels	PG-13
Feb 11	4 p.m.	Little Nicky	PG-13
	7 p.m.	Charlie's Angels	PG-13
Feb 12		Closed	
Feb 13	7 p.m.	Anti Trust	PG-13
Feb	14 - 15	Closed	

Corso Theater (Hauptstr. 6, Vaihingen):

For info in English and German call 0711-734-916.

TRADING POST

Submissions are subject to editor discretion and appear on a space available basis for two weeks.

For Sale/Vehicles:

'97 BMW 318i, convertible, U.S. spec, black top/green, auto trans, 29,000 miles, leather heated seats, perfect condition, one owner, asking \$25,900. Call 0172-662-1548.

'93 BMW 325i, five-speed std, four-door, US specs, loaded, AC, driver side air bag, ABS, fog lights, power door locks, windows, mirrors, seats, sunroof and steering, leather interior, AM/FM CD and tape, 6xCD changer, cruise control, interm wipers, on board computer, heated front seats, limited slip diff, alarm system, sports seats, installed hands-free phone kit, 78,500 miles, great condition, new tires, regularly serviced, blue book

is \$13,380, asking \$11,000. Call 430-8241 or 0711-674-0351.

'85 Ford Mustang LX, 2.3l, four-cylinder, carbureted engine (18 months old), four-speed manual transmission, power steering, brakes and windows, V8 radiator, front-wheel bearings, brakes, and exhaust system less than 3 years old, good tires, dealer repair manuals, \$500 obo. Call Nathan, 430-5314 (day) or 07031-810-264 (evenings).

'90 Mazda 323, two-door, German spec, needs front pads and rotors and right side door. Minimum bid \$200. For info call Kelley Barracks Auto Craft Shop, 421-2603/civ. 0711-729-2603.

'86 Mercedes 300SE; standard, black exterior, six-cylinder, new brakes and tires, very reliable, cassette/radio, asking \$2,000 obo. Call 421-2829/0711-726-0105 or e-mail (chemanm@6asg.army.mil).

'86 Mercedes 300E, German specs, very low miles, looks and runs great, \$3,900 firm. Call 430-4110 or e-mail (cookc@eucom.mil).

'85 Mitsubishi Montero, U.S. spec, four-wheel-drive, has rust and needs exhaust repair, minimum bid \$150. Call Kelley Auto Craft Shop, 421-2603/civ. 0711-729-2603.

'94 Opel Astra, four-door, five-speed, ABS, power steering and brakes, AM/FM cassette, 220,000 kilometers, reliable and in good condition, asking \$1,550. Call Mrs. Decker, 0711-729-2548.

'88 Pontiac 6000LE, four-door, auto trans, power steering, power brakes, AC, new rotors and brake pads, new exhaust system, excellent second car, runs great, well maintained, \$1,200 obo. Call 434-5168/0711-777-7965 or e-mail (sabre460_98@yahoo.com).

'96 Saab 9000CS, four-door hatchback, five-speed manual, US specs, 65,000 miles, AC, sunroof, heated seats, automatic climate control system, power seats/doors/windows, leather interior, fold-down back seats, good condition. All work and maintenance done at Saab Dealer in Stuttgart. New: tires, clutch, turbo injection system, battery. Asking \$15,000. Call Bob Baldwin, 430-7379(W) or 07054-92-259(H).

'87 Volvo, 740 turbo, U.S. spec, automatic, needs head gasket and water pump, minimum bid \$150.

Call Kelley Auto Craft Shop, 421-2603/civ. 0711-729-2603.

For Sale/Miscellaneous:

Infant and toddler items including changing table \$10; potty chair \$3; diaper pail \$4; metal frame baby backpack \$10; J C Penney 6-in-1 snuggle pack for infants \$15; car seat \$20; (used 1 month, cost \$50); children's shoes \$1 a pair; baby blankets, newborn to 2T clothing 50 cents a piece, various infant toys. Call Chris, 0711-810-5791.

PCS sale, plants, German bunk bed, baby changing table, 220 volt item include curling iron, iron, Raclette iron, fan and hair dryer. Will have cell phone, white mini blinds and transformers available end of April. Call Michelle, 0711-853-397.

Dishwasher and microwave, less than one year old (Relocating sooner than we thought). Dishwasher is white, AEG 220 volt, asking \$200 (almost \$400 new at PX). Microwave is white, Hitachi 220 volt, 900-watt, asking \$75. Or both for \$250. Call Wayne, 0711-678-8620.

Washing Machine, 220 volt, front load, three years old, can be connected in base housing to the dishwasher connections instead of or in combination with the dishwasher, asking \$300 obo. Call Sheila, 430-5332/civ. 0711-680-5332 or 0711-728-9963.

Receiver/Decoder, integrated, for satellite, Pace PRD900 and 80 centimeter dish, asking \$150. Call Al, 0711-782-3544.

Baby swing, brand name Graco, only used for eight months, good condition \$25. Call 0711-687-5293.

Table, Eckbank, German corner bench table set with four chairs. Table is 35" x 55" and the benches have storage, asking \$900. Call 07056-964-327 or e-mail (lakritz@aol.com).

Sleeper-sofa, queen-sized with matching reclining loveseat and corner table, excellent condition, \$750 obo. Call 07034-644-815.

Tires, four Courser radial AWT tires, load range C (31X10.5 or 15LT M/S DOT UT60 B3B015 P2L) with rims 7 x 15, used one winter, \$400. Call 07056-964-327 or e-mail (kritzv@hotmail.com).

Desk, roll top, in excellent condition, must see, \$700; Pioneer laser disk/CD player, like new, \$50;

home- school books and misc. items for 4th and 8th grade, only used 3 weeks, all for \$50; set of four wooden TV trays with English hunting scene, \$18. Contact Debbie, 430-5144/0711-782-3451 or e-mail (debnajd@hotmail.com).

Snow board, brand name Burton, freestyle model Cat, size 146, Preston soft bindings, together \$80, Burton snowboard boots US size 7 or European size 39, \$30, package deal \$100. Great starter package, we just upgraded. Call Richard Seely, 434-5715 or 0711-636-2453.

Guitar, weight set/bench, barbecue grill, 10-speed bicycles (his/hers), lawn mower, outdoor gardening tools, glass top wicker kitchen table set, Sony stereo, clothes racks, drawers/cart, wicker coffee table with 2 chairs, Eckbank German kitchen table, exercise bike, curtains/rods, linens, dishes, clothing, blankets (new), 220 volt items include microwave oven, iron, TV, transformers, extension cords, hair dryer, toaster, coffee pot, electric blanket. Call 0172-662-1548.

Twin mattress and box springs, Simmons Maxipedic, excellent condition, like new, \$50 for set. Call 0711-726-1237, leave message.

Sound processor, Carver DPL-33, excellent condition, \$50; Technics ST-K50, AM/FM tuner, excellent condition, \$25; Technics SU-G50, amplifier, intermittent bad channel, \$5; Technics SH-8017, graphic equalizer, excellent condition, \$25; Technics RS-TR167, double tape deck, excellent condition, \$25; Pioneer PD-M603, 6-pack CD player, ACPS or fuse bad, \$5; Technics SL-PC14, multi-CD player, needs cleaning, intermittent skip, \$5; Ambico V-0687, MTS stereo decoder, excellent condition, \$10; Technics record player, problem unknown, \$5; Stereo cabinet, \$5. Call Pam, 434-5954/ 0711-683-959.

Wanted:

In search of International Tae Kwon Do instructor. Looking for black belt instructor, certified or not, to teach International Tae Kwon Do (not World or American) students (adults and children) at or near Patch Barracks. Contact Lt. Col. Mike Riha, 430-8860/civ. 0711-680-8860 between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. week days.

Housekeeping help needed, set your own hours, no pet allergies, not easily frightened, organizational skills helpful. House-sitting opportunities also. Call 0711-687-7546.

House to rent starting July or August, for one year, three or four bedrooms, furnished preferred. E-mail (mmurphy@acs.ryerson.ca).

Someone to do light housecleaning two times a week, about four hours total at a house in Sindelfingen. Must have own transportation. Call Isobel or Ted, evenings, 07031-721-616.

Do you have old rugs, carpets, chairs or activity toys that you no longer want? Consider donating them to us so we can create a family playroom in the basement of our building. We can pick-up any donated items. Call Vicky, 0711-687-3176 or Connie, 0711-677-3859.

House to rent, 3 or 4 bedrooms, with built-in kitchen and co-located garage. Call Jerry Lucas, 434-5101/civ. 0711 - 686-39 - 5101, or e-mail (lucasg@eur.disa.mil).

Someone to look after our two dogs for three months while we are gone from April 5 to about July 8. One dog is a fawn colored greyhound (ex-racer, loves to walk) and the other is a cocker-mix, both very friendly and loving. Can either keep in your own quarters or possibly live in our Sindelfingen town home rent free for the three months (15 minutes from Patch/ 10 minutes to Panzer). Call 0703-146-7111 or 0170-663-1206 or e-mail (pattersongang@hotmail.com).

Free

Cats, free to a good home, two males, age 3, front declawed and neutered, good with kids and other animals, must stay together. We are relocating and can't take them. Call 0711-856-6914.

Cat, large orange tabby, 4 years old, male, neutered, front declawed, all shots, lovable but mischievous, small children not recommended. Call Connie, 0711-677-3859.

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